

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Submitted bids will be opened electronically at 11:00 AM on **Friday, August 09, 2024**; and will be posted to the Vermont Agency of Transportation website. The time of receiving and opening bids may be postponed due to emergencies or unforeseen conditions.

LOCATION: THE PROJECT BEGINS AT THE INTERSECTION OF SEYMOUR ROAD IN SAINT ALBANS TOWN AND EXTENDS EASTERLY 26.01 MILES TO TROY STREET IN RICHFORD

TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION: WORK TO BE PERFORMED UNDER THIS PROJECT INCLUDES REHABILITATION OF TRAIL SURFACE AND IMPROVEMENTS TO ROADWAY CROSSINGS. ALL PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION TASKS ARE INTENDED TO BE CONFINED WITHIN THE EXISTING RAIL OR ADJACENT ROADWAY EMBANKMENTS.

CONTRACT COMPLETION DATE: This Contract shall be completed on or before **December 31, 2024**.

BID BOND: Electronic bid bond to be submitted in the amount of 5% of the Contractor's bid.

ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE: For this proposal the Engineer's Estimate is **Category D**.

PLANS AND PROPOSALS MAY BE OBTAINED AT NO COST BY: On the VTrans website at:
<https://vtrans.vermont.gov/contract-admin/bids-requests/construction-contracting>

QUESTIONS: During the advertisement period, all questions shall be addressed solely to the Office of Contract Administration via email: AOT.ConstructionContractingInquiry@vermont.gov. All inquiries must be received by 4:30pm on Wednesday, July 31, 2024.

PREQUALIFICATION OF CONTRACTORS: All bidders on this project must hold **both** current annual Prequalification with the Vermont Agency of Transportation through the "Contractor's Experience Questionnaire and Financial Statement" and unconditioned project-specific approval through the "Standard Form - Request for Proposal" CA-82 form. These documents are available at: <https://vtrans.vermont.gov/sites/aot/files/contractadmin/documents/PreQualCA82.pdf>, and must be submitted/uploaded through the iCXWeb website at: <https://vtrans.exevision.com/icx/Index.aspx>

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS: The work to be performed under this Contract shall be in accordance with the 2024 Standard Specifications for Construction, as modified. The Standard Specifications are available on the Vermont Agency of Transportation website.
<https://vtrans.vermont.gov/highway/construct-material/construct-services/pre-contractspecifications>

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT: All bidders will be required to execute a sworn statement, certifying that the bidder has not, either directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this Contract.

NONDISCRIMINATION IN AGENCY CONTRACTS: VTrans hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

MANDATORY ELECTRONIC BIDDING: Bidders are hereby notified that only electronic bids will be accepted by the Agency. For information on electronic bidding with the Agency, please visit our website at:
<https://vtrans.vermont.gov/contract-admin/resources/construction-contracting/electronic-bidding>

TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICE

TTY/TDD 1-800-253-0191

ESTIMATE OF QUANTITIES

| ITEM NO. | DESCRIPTION | QUANTITY | UNITS |
|----------|--|------------|-------|
| 201.3000 | THINNING AND TRIMMING | 8.000 | ACRE |
| 203.1600 | SOLID ROCK EXCAVATION | 5.000 | CY |
| 203.2800 | EXCAVATION OF SURFACES AND PAVEMENTS | 75.000 | CY |
| 203.3200 | GRANULAR BORROW | 1,780.000 | CY |
| 204.2200 | TRENCH EXCAVATION OF EARTH, EXPLORATORY (N.A.B.I.) | 1.000 | CY |
| 401.1500 | AGGREGATE SURFACE COURSE, PATHS AND TRAILS | 13,520.000 | CY |
| 406.3400 | BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT, NON-PAVER PLACED, TYPE IVS | 115.000 | SY |
| 608.1500 | POWER GRADER RENTAL | 1,160.000 | HR |
| 608.2501 | ALL-PURPOSE EXCAVATOR RENTAL, TYPE I | 770.000 | HR |
| 608.3001 | POWER BROOM RENTAL, TYPE I | 75.000 | HR |
| 613.1001 | STONE FILL, TYPE I | 180.000 | CY |
| 616.4700 | BITUMINOUS CONCRETE GUTTERS AND TRAFFIC ISLANDS | 20.000 | TON |
| 618.1008 | PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK, 8 INCH | 60.000 | SY |
| 618.3000 | DETECTABLE WARNING SURFACE | 152.000 | SF |
| 620.1004 | CHAIN-LINK FENCE, 4 FOOT | 710.000 | LF |
| 630.1500 | FLAGGERS | 100.000 | HR |
| 635.1100 | MOBILIZATION/DEMOBILIZATION | 1.000 | LS |
| 641.1100 | TRAFFIC CONTROL, ALL-INCLUSIVE | 1.000 | LS |
| 646.2410 | 12 INCH WHITE LINE, WATERBORNE PAINT | 620.000 | LF |
| 651.1500 | TURF ESTABLISHMENT, GENERAL SEED | 61,270.000 | SY |
| 651.3500 | TOPSOIL | 6,810.000 | CY |
| 651.4012 | GRUBBING MATERIAL, 12 INCH | 530.000 | SY |
| 653.1000 | HAY MULCH | 30.000 | TON |
| 653.2001 | ROLLED EROSION CONTROL PRODUCT, TYPE I | 530.000 | SY |
| 653.4701 | SILT FENCE, TYPE I | 13,200.000 | LF |
| 675.2000 | TRAFFIC SIGN, FLAT SHEET ALUMINUM | 25.000 | SF |
| 675.3410 | SQUARE TUBE SIGN POST AND ANCHOR | 450.000 | LF |
| 675.5000 | SIGN REMOVAL, FLAT SHEET ALUMINUM | 30.000 | EACH |
| 675.6000 | RESETTING SIGNS | 30.000 | EACH |
| 681.1010 | REMOVE AND RELOCATE LANDSCAPE ITEMS | 5.000 | EACH |

The estimates of quantities are not guaranteed, but are given as a basis for the comparison of bids.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, to waive any formality, and any and all technicalities in bids, and to accept such bids as may be deemed in the best interest of the awarding agency.